

TURKEY

United States Educational Commission

TIAS 4458

11 U.S.T. 399

February 1, 1960, Date-Signed

February 1, 1960, Date-In-Force

STATUS:

[*1] Agreement modifying the agreement of December 27, 1949, as modified.
Effected by exchange of notes
Signed at Ankara February 1, 1960;
Entered into force February 1, 1960.

[NO LONG-TITLE IN ORIGINAL]

TEXT:

9 The American Ambassador to the Turkish Secretary General for Economic Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

FEBRUARY 1, 1960

HIS EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Turkey, to promote further mutual understanding between the peoples of the two countries by a wider exchange of knowledge and professional talents through educational contacts. The Agreement was signed at Ankara December 27, 1949 n1 and modified by an Agreement of January 8, 1957. n2

-----Footnotes-----

n1 TIAS 2111; 1 UST 603.

n2 TIAS 3737; 8 UST 41.

-----End Footnotes-----

The program provided for in the Agreement is once again in need of additional funds for its continuance. In view of the provision in the Agricultural Commodities Agreement between the Governments of the United States [*2] of America and the Republic of Turkey, signed at Ankara

November 12, 1956, n3 and supplemented by the Agreement of January 25, 1957, n4 making lira accruing thereunder available for international educational exchange, among other things, and in view of the similar provision in the Agricultural Commodities Agreement between the two Governments signed at Ankara January 20, 1958, n5 as supplemented by the Agreement of June 25, 1958, n6 it is the desire of the Government of the United States of America to devote a portion of such funds to the purpose of the Agreement of December 27, 1949, as modified by the Agreement of January 8, 1957.

-----Footnotes-----

n3 TIAS 3697; 7 UST 3187.

n4 TIAS 3759; 8 UST 197.

n5 TIAS 3981; 9 UST 79.

n6 TIAS 4056; 9 UST 929.

-----End Footnotes-----

O I have the honor to refer also to recent conversations between representatives of our two Governments on this subject and to confirm the understanding reached that the Agreement of December 27, 1949, as modified by the Agreement of January 8, 1957, shall be modified further [*3] by deleting the first and last paragraphs of Article 11 and inserting the following after the paragraph remaining:

"The Government of the Republic of Turkey shall, as and when requested by the Government of the United States of America for purposes of this Agreement, deposit in a special account of the Treasurer of the United States of America in the Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey, amounts of currency of the Government of the Republic of Turkey, up to an aggregate amount equivalent to \$ 500,000 (United States currency), provided, however, that in no event shall a total amount of the currency of the Government of the Republic of Turkey, in excess of the equivalent of \$ 250,000 (United States currency), be deposited during any single calendar year. The rate of exchange between currency of the Government of the Republic of Turkey and United States currency to be used in determining the amount of currency of the Government of the Republic of Turkey to be so deposited shall be that specified in Article I, Paragraph 3, of the Agreement of February 27, 1946 relating to the purchase of American surplus property. n1

-----Footnotes-----

n1 Not printed.

-----End Footnotes----- [*4]

"In addition to the currency of Turkey equivalent to \$ 500,000 heretofore made available under the above paragraph for the purposes of this Agreement, the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Turkey agree that there shall be available for purposes of this Agreement currency of Turkey up to an aggregate amount of the equivalent of \$ 250,000 (United States currency) acquired by the Government of the United States of America as provided in

Subparagraph (i) of Paragraph 1 of Article II of the Annex to the Agricultural Commodities Agreement of November 15, 1954, n2 as amended by the supplementing Agreement of April 28, 1955. n3 The rate of exchange between the currency of Turkey and the United States currency to be used in determining the amount of currency of Turkey to be deposited shall be the rate specified in numbered Subparagraph (ii) of lettered Subparagraph b. of Paragraph 3. of Article II of the Annex to the Agricultural Agreement of November 15, 1954, as amended by the supplementing Agreement of April 28, 1955.

-----Footnotes-----

n2 TIAS 3179; 6 UST 459.

n3 TIAS 3205; 6 UST 688.

-----End Footnotes----- [*5]

"The Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Turkey agree that there will be available for such purposes further currency of Turkey up to an aggregate amount of 1,675,000 lira acquired by the Government of the United States of 1 America as provided in Article II, Paragraph 1(a) of the Agricultural Commodities Agreement of November 12, 1956, between the two Governments, as supplemented by the Agreement of January 25, 1957.

"The Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Turkey agree that there will be available for such purposes additional currencies up to an amount of 11,887,685 Turkish lira acquired by the Government of the United States of America in the following amounts from Agricultural Commodities Agreements between our two Governments:

a) 1,018,745 lira from Article II, paragraph 1(a) of the Agricultural Commodities Agreement of November 12, 1956, as supplemented and amended by the agreements of January 25, 1957 and April 20, 1957. n1

-----Footnotes-----

n1 TIAS 3819; 8 UST 677.

-----End Footnotes----- [*6]

b) 6,108,014 lira from Article II, paragraph 1 (a) and (d) of the Agricultural Commodities Agreement of January 20, 1958, as extended and amended by the Agreements of May 13 and June 9, 1958, n2 June 25, 1958, November 8, 1958 n3 and November 24, 1958. n4

-----Footnotes-----

n2 TIAS 4160; 10 UST 11.

n3 TIAS 4132; 9 UST 1379.

n4 TIAS 4161; 10 UST 13.

-----End Footnotes-----

c) 4,760,926 lira from Article II, paragraph 1(A) of the Agricultural Commodities Agreement of February 13, 1959. n5

-----Footnotes-----

n5 TIAS 4175; 10 UST 145.

-----End Footnotes-----

"Amounts made available shall not be in excess of the budgetary limitation established pursuant to Article 3 of the present Agreement.

"The performance of this Agreement shall be subject to the availability of appropriations to the Secretary of State of the United States of America, when required by the laws of the United States, for reimbursement to the Treasury of the United [*7] States for currency of Turkey held or available for expenditure by the Government of the United States of America".

Upon receipt of a note from your Excellency indicating that the foregoing provisions are acceptable to the Government of the Republic of Turkey, the Government of the United States of America will consider that this letter and your Excellency's reply thereto constitute an agreement between the two Governments, to enter into force on the date of your Excellency's note in reply.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurance of my highest consideration.

2 The Turkish Minister of Foreign Affairs to the American Ambassador

TURKIYE CUMHURİYETİ
HARİCİYE VEKALETİ n1

-----Footnotes-----

n1 Republic of Turkey

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

-----End Footnotes-----

310.233/ME/2-16 FEBRUARY 1, 1960

EXCELLENCY,

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your Excellency's note dated February 1, 1960 which reads as follows:

"Your Excellency:

I have the honor to refer to the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government [*8] of the Republic of Turkey, to promote further mutual understanding between the peoples of the two countries by a wider exchange of knowledge and professional talents through educational contacts. The Agreement was signed at Ankara December 27, 1949 and modified by an Agreement of January 8, 1957.

The program provided for in the Agreement is once again in need of additional funds for its continuance. In view of the provision in the Agricultural Commodities Agreement between the Governments of the United States of America and the Republic of Turkey, signed at Ankara November 12, 1956, and supplemented by the Agreement of January 25, 1957, making lira accruing thereunder available for international educational exchange, among other things, and in view of the similar provision in the Agricultural Commodities Agreement between the two Governments signed at Ankara January 20, 1958, as supplemented by the Agreement of June 25, 1958, it is the desire of the Government of the United States of America to devote a portion of such funds to the purpose of the Agreement of December 27, 1949, as modified by the Agreement of January 8, 1957.

I have the honor to refer also to recent conversations [*9] between representatives of our two Governments on this subject and to confirm the understanding reached that the Agreement of December 27, 1949, as modified by the Agreement of January 8, 1957 shall be modified further by deleting the first and last paragraphs of Article 11 and inserting the following after the paragraph remaining:

"The Government of the Republic of Turkey shall, as and when requested by the Government of the United States of America for purposes of this Agreement, deposit in a special account of the Treasurer of the United States of America in the Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey, amounts of currency of the Government of the Republic of Turkey, up to an aggregate amount equivalent to \$ 500,000 (United States currency), provided, however, that in no event shall a total amount of the currency of the Government of the Republic of Turkey, in excess of the equivalent of \$ 250,000 (United States currency), be deposited during any single calendar year. The rate of exchange between currency of the Government of the Republic of Turkey and United States currency to be used in determining the amount of currency of the Government of the Republic of Turkey to be so deposited [*10] shall be that specified in Article I, Paragraph 3, of the Agreement of February 27, 1946 relating to the purchase of American surplus property.

"In addition to the currency of Turkey equivalent to \$ 500,000 heretofore made available under the above paragraph for the purposes of this Agreement, the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Turkey agree that there shall be available for purposes of this Agreement currency of Turkey up to an aggregate amount of the equivalent of \$ 250,000 (United States currency) acquired by the Government of the United States of America as provided in Subparagraph (i) of Paragraph 1 of Article II of the Annex to the Agricultural Commodities Agreement of November 15, 1954, as amended by the supplementing Agreement of April 28, 1955. The rate of exchange between the currency of Turkey and the United States currency to be used in determining the amount of currency of Turkey to be deposited shall be the rate specified in numbered Subparagraph (ii) of lettered Subparagraph b. of Paragraph 3. of Article II of the Annex to the Agricultural Agreement of November 15, 1954, as amended by the supplementing Agreement of April [*11] 28, 1955.

"The Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Turkey agree that there will be available for such purposes further currency of Turkey up to an aggregate amount of 1,675,000 lira acquired by the Government of the United States of America as provided in Article II, Paragraph 1(a) of the Agricultural Commodities Agreement of November 12, 1956, between the two Governments, as supplemented by the Agreement of January 25, 1957.

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b) 6,108,014 lira from Article II, paragraph 1 (a) and (d) of the Agricultural Commodities Agreement of January 20, 1958, as extended and amended by the Agreements [*12] of May 13 and June 9, 1958, June 25, 1958, November 8, 1958 and November 24, 1958.

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"The performance of this Agreement shall be subject to the availability of appropriations to the Secretary of State of the United States of America, when required by the laws of the United States, for reimbursement to the Treasury of the United States for currency of Turkey held or available for expenditure by the Government of the United States of America".

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Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurance of my highest consideration."

I have the honor to inform Your Excellency that the [*13] terms of the foregoing Note are acceptable to the Government of the Republic of Turkey and that the Government of the Republic of Turkey consider Your Excellency's Note and the present reply thereto as constituting an Agreement between our two Governments on this subject, the Agreement to enter into force on to-day's date.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

SIGNATORIES:

FLETCHER WARREN
American Ambassador

His Excellency HASAN ESAT ISIK

*Secretary General for Economic Affairs
Ministry of Foreign Affairs*

For the Minister of Foreign Affairs
Semih Gunver

His Excellency FLETCHER WARREN
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